Address Two Large Audiences, and Arraign Republican Policies and Bascom Slemp.

CAN DRAW CROWD UNAIDED

At Least Byars Has Not Yet Had to Adjourn Meeting, as Did Slemp, for Lack of One.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
PULASKI, VA., September 25.—Hon.
J. Cloyd Byars and Hon. Harry St.
George Tucker spoke to a large and
enthusiastic crowd here last night in
the interest of Bryan, Kern and Byars.
Mr. Byars was introduced by Mr. J. N.
Bosang, Jr. He made a ringing speech,
in which he severely arraigned Slemp
for his position on the Crumpacker
bill, stating that the Republican papers
in the Ninth have aiready criticized
him upon it. He remarked that Slemp
had been dragging issues into the campalgn which did not properly belong
there, and dwelt upon the fact that
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Slemp had refused to meet him in joint discussion to discuss the issues of the campaign, giving as his excuse that it was not being done in other districts, and that it would not be to the interest of the Republican party; and, furthermore, that he did not want to furnish Mr. Byars said he had not yet been compelled to adjourn a meeting for the lack of an audience, as did Mr. Slemp in Wytheville a few weeks ago.

Mr. Tucker was next introduced, and after throwing a few bouquets at the ladies present, he presented the issues of the campaign in a clear-cut and forcible way, and was greeted with repeated applause. He took up the tariff question and threshed over the promises so often made by the Republican party that a revision of the tariff would be made as soon as they were elected, but said that it had always. would be made as soon as they were elected, but said that it had always been raised instead of lowered.

AT WYTHEVILLE.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WYTHEVILLE, VA., September 25.—
Hon. J. Cloyd Byars, Democratic nominee for Congress, and Hon. H. St.
George Tucker spoke here to-day to a large audience, including many ladies.

over an hour and a half late, but Byars held the audience until a moments of Mr. Tucker's arrival.

the interval being filled by well-timed remarks from Mr. C. B. Thomas.

Mr. Byars made a favorable impression and discussed the issues of the canvass and the record of Mr. Slemp, his opponent, in dignified but effective manner.

Mr. Tucker, in eloquent and forcible terms, dissected the Republican platform, and was particularly happy in his comments on the clause unequivocally committing the party to revision of the tariff. While he expressed kindly personal feelings for both President Rooseveit and Judge Taft, he paid his respects in no uncertain mnner to their policies, and drew a graphic picture of the threatened danger of encroachment by the Federal government under these policies upon the reserved rights of the States, quoting from Mr. Roosevelt and Secretary Root. His presentation of this subject was particularly strong, and his illustrations and anecdotes impressed his author of the content of the cont particularly strong, and his illustra-tions and anecdotes impressed his auwhich was in full touch with The campaign is now fully opened in Wythe.

TO PLEAD "UNWRITTEN LAW,"

saliant, and Will Copy Thaw Trial.
Especial to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, VA., September 25.—
lated reports reached here this afmon of an alleged criminal assault
a colored woman in Appomattox
unty and the shooting of the alleged
saliant the next day by the victim's

breakfast.

"In Sickness or

The food that gives bounce and

buoyancy to mind and body is

Shredded Wheat

made of the whole wheat,

steam-cooked, shredded and

baked in the cleanest, finest food factory in the worldused by invalids and athletes because it presents the greatest

amount of strength-giving ma-

terial with the least tax upon

the digestion. Try it for

BYARS AND TUCKER BOY TORTURED IN THE SOUTHWEST BY AWFUL HUMOR

Almost Covered with Eczema-No Night's Rest for Nearly a Year-Feared Lifelong Disfigurement— All Treatments Falled and Limit of Endurance Seemed Near.

PERFECT RECOVERY IS DUE TO CUTICURA

"With the exception of his bands and feet, my son Clyde (thirteen years old) was almost completely covered with eczema. Physicians treated him for nearly a year without helping him any. While they were very kind and did all in their power, yet nothing seemed to relieve him. And I had tried many remedies sent to me by kind friends but they all failed. His head, face, and neck were covered with large scabs which he would rub until they fell off. Then blood and matter would run out and that would be worse. Many a time he looked as if his ears would drop off. Friends coming to see him said that if he got well he would be disfigured for life.

"When it seemed as if he could possibly stand it no longer, I decided to try Cuticura. I bought's cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Cintment, and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. I used them in the evening and that was the first night for nearly a year that he slept. This may sound exaggerated to you, but in the morning there was a great change for the better. In about six weeks you could not have told that he had ever hadanything wrong with him. I treated him twice a day for six months and at present he has a line complexion and not a scar on his hody. This story may seem overdrawn, but neither words nor pen can describe Clyde's suffering and how he looked. Our leading physician, Dr. — recommends the Cuticura Remedies for ecaena. Mrs. Algy Cockburn, Shiloh, O., June 11, 1907."

Frequent shampoos with Cuticura Soap and weekly dressings with Cuti-

Frequent shampoos with Cuticura Soap and weekly dressings with Cuticura stop falling hair, remove crusts, soales, and dandruff, destroy hair parasites, soothe irritated, itching surfaces, stimulate the hair follicles, supply the roots with nourishment, locen the soalp skin, and make the hair grow upon a sweet, wholesome, healthy soalp, when all other remedies fall.

Complete External and Interna Trestment for

trial in the damage suit of J. W. Craig vs. the Lynchburg Traction Company, in which Craig received a verdict for \$1,400. Craig was injured by an electrified mail box in attempting to post a letter last November. The company asked for a rehearing on the ground of after-discovered evidence and because a juror conversed with a witness as to the merits of the case. The suit was originally for \$50,000.

TUG AND STEAMER COLLIDE.

in Health"

Petersburg News

Times-Dispatch Bureau, 198 North Sycamore Street, Petersburg. Va. September 25. Government engineers who have carefully inspected the diversion work on the Appomattox River estimate that an additional appropriation of probably \$6,000 will be needed to complete that work. Congress originally appropriated \$200,000 for the improvement of the river. Colonel Kingsman, United States engineer in charge of this district, and Major James Kuhn, of Norfolk, the assistant enginer in special charge of the diversion work herewere in the city yesterdey, and it is said after inspecting what has been done, and agreeing as to what is yet to be done, practically decided that to properly complete the work additional money will be needed. Their report will be made to the Board of Engineers at a meeting to be held in Washington next week.

The emergency work of the Atlantic Dredging Company in filling up the big washout across Second Street and the Coast Line yard, made by the recent freshet, has been approved by the authorities at Washington. And in the meantime a roadbed for the passage of vehicles has been made across this channel, and communication with Chesterfield county and the business plants in Pocahontas restoged.

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Petersburg Liquor Company.
The certificate of incorporation of the Petersburg Liquor Company was recorded in the clerk's office to-day. The objects of the company are to buy and sell alcoholic and malt liquors, cigars, etc., and to conduct a lunch counter and restaurant. The capital stock is to be not over \$10,000, and the officers are P. H. Wells, president, Wilmington, N. C.; Secretary, John W. Scott, Petersburg: Treasurer, James S, King, Wilmington, N. C.
On Monday, September 28th, the second anniversary of the dedication of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the sacred Heart Catholic Church, in the counter of the sacred Heart C

North Wilkesboro, N. C., were mar-ied in Washington, D. C., on Wednes-

who has been visiting Mrs. T. T. Morris n this city, has returned to her home. News in General.

and though young in years was an active Christian worker, Another mem-ber of the family is very ill. The board of directors of the Peters-

The board of directors of the Petersburg Savings and Insurance Company yesterday declared a quarterly dividend of 4 per cent. on the capital stock of the company.

Though convicted twice of the charge of unlawful possession of cocaine, each time with a verdict of one year in the penitentiary, counsel for John Spencer, alias Parker, yesterday asked that the second verdict be set aside and a new trial granted. The court will hear argument later. This case has been vigorously fought through two trials, in the first of which the question of the constitutionality of the cocaine act was raised by counsel, but was upheld by the

A thief broke into the Dewdrop Inn, on Bank Street, last night. He got a small sum in money and carried off several packages of cigarettes. Nothelse seemed to have been dis-

The remains of the late William M. Crichton, of Richmond, a native of Petersburg, were laid to rest in Bland-ford Cemetery to-day.

ELKINS'S SON SUED

Louise Lonsdale Brings Action for \$100,000 for Breach of Centract.
PHILIPPI, W. VA., September 25.—
The filing here yesterday of a suit for \$100,000 damages on an allegation of breach of promise to marry by Louise Lonsdale, a New York actress, against Blaine Elkins, Youngest son of United States Senator Stephen B. Elkins, has caused a sensation. The young man is a brother of Katherine Elkins, who is reported engaged to marry the Duke of Abruzzi. A summons was served today on young Elkins at his country home, at Elkins, W. Va., to appear before United States Judge Dayton and answer the charge. The date of the formal hearing will be chosen later.

In a talk over the long distance telephone, Senator Elkins, who is at Elkins, W. Va., admitted the suit and sald: "My son never promised to marry this young woman, and there is nothing in it. He denies the whole charge absolutely."

KILLED OVER A DOLLAR.

Ben Gresham, Colored, of Urbanna, Is Charged With Murdering Ex-Convict. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
URBANNA, VA., September 25.—Ben Gresham and Roland Campbell, negroes, had a controversy on LaGrange Farm, near Urbanna, yesterday morning over the trifling sum of \$1. Ben Gresham drew a pistol and shot Campbell, inflicting a wound which resulted in his death several hours afterwards. Gresham has been arrested, and is in the jail at Saluda. Campbell was an ex-convict.

ARRESTS ESCAPED MEN.

Mr. Heffin Meets Escaped Men in Road and Recognizes Them. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] FREDERICKSBURG, VA. September 25.—Iohn Watson, Bickel Watson and Milton Parker, negroes, who escaped

Bertha Stead, Who Had Descended to Cheap Concert Hall, Victim of Drink.
ISpecial to The Times-Disparch.]
NORFOLK. VA. September 25.—
Bertha Stead, a concert hall singer, was found dead to-day in her room at No. 42 Bermuda Street, it is announced, from the effects of overindulgence in drink. There was nothing to indicate that the girl had committed suicide. The young woman ..me in late last night, and was under the influence of Iduor. An empty quart bottle that had contained liquor was found near her side. The coroner decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

The woman had been in Norfolk about three years, and is said to be the daughter of Mrs. Emma Inez, of Sheepshead Bay, N. Y., who starred through here two years ago in "The Ninety and Nine."

HOT COFFEE A WEAPON.

Aged Negress Also Struck Him With Starch, Causing a Row. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, VA. September 25.— Booker Fleshman, the old negro, who is charged with making a felonious assault upon Easter Williams, a day

MINUTE MEN INSPECTED.

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Bearing of CulPeper Militia.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CULPEPER, VA., September 25.—
The Culpeper Minute Men, Company
B, Virginia Volunteers, was inspected this afternoon by Colonel Jo Lane
Stern. The company showed up well, and was complimented for well-kept equipment, soldierly bearing and proficiency in manoeuvres and drill. In a few days the organization will have its full quota of men. Captain E. L.
Slaughter, of the company, and Major
E. H. Gibson, of the regiment, were present at the inspection.

FINED FOR SPEEDING.

Chauffeur of Petersburg Millionaire
Convicted at Suffolk,
ISDECIAL to The Times-Dispatch.1
SUFFOLK, VA. September 25.—Harry
L. Needham, chauffeur of David Dunlop, the wealthy Petersburg horseman,
to-day was fined \$20 and costs in the
Police Court for violating the speed
law last Sunday. Mr. Dunlop was in
court, too, in response to a subpoena,
but was not fined, it being shown that
he was not in the car at the time.

PAPER REORGANIZED.

Bristol News Granted Charter, and Appears in Readable Form

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BRISTOL, VA., September 25.—The
News Publishing Company, which is
now issuing the Bristol Evening News
in larger and better form, has just
been granted a charter by the Virginia.

States Little bearings AS YOU SOW

So Shall You Reap. Right food yields a harvest of health and happiness, peace and prosperity.

Grape Nuts

State Corporation Commission. The authorized capital stock of the company is \$25,000. The officers are: M. L. Fox, president; L. P. Summers, vice-president; E. A. Warren, treasurer. The directors, in addition to the officers, are: L. M. Neas, N. B. Remine, W. H. Fleenor, R. J. Summers, J. S. Turner and W. B. Carnes.

INVESTIGATE GROUNDING. Should Be Thirty Feet of Water Where

Schooler Struck Bottom.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, VA., September 25.—The big schooler Edward J. Lawrence, which left Lambert's Point with a

which left Lambert's Point with a cargo of coal yesterday, bound for Portland, Maine, went aground yesterday in the stream on what is supposed to be a shoal. She was floated at high tide this morning. An investigation has been ordered, as it is supposed that there is thirty feet of water at the point where the Lawrence grounded, and the latter ship is said to draw only twenty-six feet of water, loaded.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 25, —Quentin Roosevelt, youngest son of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt, today begins pupilage at St. Paul's Episcopal School, Alexandric, Va. Quentical School, Alexandric, Va. Quentical School copal School, Alexandric, Va. Quentin is eleven years old, and began his studies in the public schools of Washington. Quentin's departure leaves Miss Ethel Roosevelt the only representative of the group of children who surrounded the President and Mrs. Roosevelt during their first winter in the White House. Quentin will return home on semi-monthly visits and on school holidays. home on semi-n school holidays.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] NORFOLK, VA., September 25.—Mc-Kendree Methodist Church, Brambledoubling the seating capacity and giv-ing many modern conveniences for the Sunday school. The contract has been let and the work inaugurated to-day. let and the work inaugurated to-da The improvements will cost \$11,000.

SELECTS COURT OFFICER.

Judge Christian Names Whitaker Com-

Judge Christian Names Whitaker Commissioner of Accounts.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LVNCHBURG, VA., September 25.—

Judge Christian, of the Corporation Court, has appointed Mr. F. W. Whitaker commissioner of accounts of that court to succeed the late John H. Christian. The appointment is already in effect. Mr. Whitaker has been a commissioner in chancery of this court for some time, which position he retains in connection with the new appointment.

BROTHERHOOD ORGANIZED
BY LYNCHBURG CHURCH

Married Miss Simpson.
LYNCHBURG, VA., September 25.—
Mr. A. B. Simpson, an engineer of the
city, and Miss Maude Simpson, formerity of Roanoke, but now a resident of
Lynchburg, were married at the Corporation Courthouse this morning, the
ceremony being performed by the Rev.
S. J. Liggan, of the Methodist
Protestant Church.

GOMPERS TELLS LITTLE MORE.

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Increase Oyster Patrol on James.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORPOLIS. VA., September 25.—At a neeting to-night of the State Board of Fisheries, held at the Atlantic Hotel, it was decided to enlarge the oyster police patrol on the James River. The major portion of the session was spent in advising over matters of a routing nature.

\$18,000 IN TAXES

Food for thought

Uneeda Biscuit

The most nourishing of all wheat foods.

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moisture proof packages. Never sold in bulk. NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

Food for work

Food for rain

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Citizens of Raleigh Make Examination in Interest of Citizens' League.

State Department of Agriculture is issuing to citizens throughout the State

issuing to citizens throughout the State a card officially conveying news of the death of the late Commissioner of Agriculture, Hon. Samuel L. Patterson.

Renovate Offices.

The suit of offices of the Commissioner of Agriculture in the Department of Agriculture building are being completely renovated and refurnished in readiness for the arrival of the new Commissioner of Agriculture, Major W. A. Graham, appointed by the Governor of Commissioner of Agriculture, Major W. A. Graham, appointed by the Governor of committees.

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An examination of the books of the city authorities by persons interested in the foramtion of the Citizens' Good Government League, of Raleigh, brings to light the fact that over \$15,000 of 1907 taxes remain uncollected, and that unpaid back taxes for the past two years aggregate upwards of \$35,000. The income of the city from taxes is not much over \$100,000, while the salary list runs up to \$29,000.

Commissions have been issued from the office of the adjutant-general of the North Carolina National Guard to J. I. Brown as first Heutenant, Company B. Second Regiment, Kinston. This is to fill a vacancy caused by a special order just issued retiring First Lieutenant W. R. Bond, of this company, with the rank of qaptain.

United States Senator Lee S. Overman delivered a powerful campaign speech here last night to a crowd that L. C. Hall as second lleutenant, Company B. Second Regiment, Kinston This is to fill a vacancy caused by a special order just issued retiring First Lieutenant W. R. Bond, of this company, with the rank of agatain.

United States Senator Lee S. Overman delivered a powerful campaign speech here last night to a crowd that taxed the capacity of the Wake courtroom. "First Principles" was his theme.

To-day, in the eastern section of the city, Ed. Smith, colored, shot and wounded seriously, but not fatally, Nora Chavis, colored, at the home of the Chavis woman. The pistol ball took effect in the side of the woman's fleet, and it is believed that Parlia-

took effect in the side of the woman's face, the cheek bone being shattered. The two quarreled as a result of the man's jealousy. Smith has thus far evaded arrest, and is thought to have gotten safely out of the city.

A call was issued to-day by the North Carolina Corporation Commission for reports from all State, private and savings banks, showing their condition at the close of business September 23d.

GREAT DAMAGE BY TYPHOON

LYNCHBURG, VA., September 25.—
A Presbyterian Brotherhood was organized in the Rivermont Avenue Presbyterian Church last night with the following officers:

President, Dan Evans; Vice-President, Dan Evans; Vice

GRASS SEED, CLOVER SEED, SEED WHEAT, SEED RYE, SEED OATS, FERTILIZERS, POULTRY SUPPLIES, DAIRY FEEDS, MOLASSES FJED, 4 for sample, and refe Send for samples and prices.

S. T. Beveridge & Co. 1217 EAST CARY STREET, RICHMOND, VA.

Cotton Mills Resume.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SALISBURY, N. C., September 25.→
The Patterson Cotton Mills at China
Grove, Rowan county, have resumed
operations on full time, after several
weeks' running at half time. It is said
the mills will not curtail its force again
this year. The mills at Coolemee,
Davie county, are also running on full
time, having occupied a large new
building in place of one burned last
spring.

AUSTRALIAN NAVY NUCLEUS

GREAT DAMAGE BY TYPHOON

Shoe Buyers, Take Notice!

Stein's Shoe Store will be closed Saturday until after 6 P. M. After 6 P. M. the prices will be cut in order to sell enough shoes to make up for trade lost during the day. Bargains!

Albert Stein,

King of Tans.

Fifth and Broad.

Heat in Oven Before Serving.

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